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1. USUSUAL PUBLICATION OF PORT STATISTICS IN LOCAL PRESS ON AUGUST 6, 1977, REVEALED TONNAGES HANDLED DURING SUBJECT PERIOD. TOTAL TONNAGE WAS 846,077. METRIC TONS OF WHICH ONLY 2,000 MT WERE EXPORTS. LATTER WAS MOSTLY RETURNED CONTAINERS. SINGLE LARGEST IMPORT COMMODITY WAS CEMENT, 284,400 METRIC TONS. MISCELLANEOUS GOODS WHICH WOULD INCLUDE MACHINERY, TRANSPORT AND VARIOUS CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT AMOUNT TO 355,505 MT. OF THE 400 VESSEL ARRIVALS. 270 CARRIED GENERAL CARGO, 85,584 HEADS OF LIVESTOCK WERE IMPORTED, INCLUDING 77,989 SHEEP, 5,732 CATTLE AND 1,954 CAMELS. VEHICLE IMPORTS OF 11,418 INCLUDED 10,827 PASSENGER VEHICLES, 272 TRUCKS AND 319 TRACTORS.

2. COMMENT: DATA ON NUMBER OF SHIP ARRIVALS CREATED SOME DOUBTS FOR US BUT THIS FIGURE AS WELL AS THE OTHER INFORMATION WAS CONFIRMED BY PORT OFFICIALS.
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